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DIARY NOTES

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8 April 1963

1. I had a long talk with John Bross about how we should respond to a letter from John Haines, who has apparently now decided to pursue his efforts, through John, to establish a branch of the Fairfax National Bank in our building. I told John that I was opposed to this for a variety of reasons and suggested that it was not his business to give Haines a definitive response stating all the reasons why we did not wish to have a branch bank in the building at this time.

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2. [REDACTED] telephoned to say that the letters of commendation for military personnel on duty with [REDACTED] were now ready to send forward for General Carter's signature. I told him I had no reason to see them again unless he wanted to send them through here, in which case I would attempt to get General Carter's signature.

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3. I advised [REDACTED] that the noise level in the Director's Conference Room was excessively high and asked him to do something about it without delay. In this connection, a good part of the seventh floor seems to be entirely too cool.

4. I met with Anthony Innamorati, Regional Director, PBS, Region 3, GSA, and Mr. Meade Keller, GSA Regional Counsel, to talk about acquisition of the property adjacent to the building and particularly the Sterrett property. They believed we could come to a quick agreement with Dr. Sterrett if we could remove the inspection provision and if we would settle for a first refusal agreement of ten years' duration. After checking with the Office of Security, Colonel Edwards assured me that he thought we could accomplish our objectives without the inspection clause. I therefore telephoned Meade Keller and asked him to draft a new agreement leaving out the inspection clause but adding language which would leave no misunderstanding that we reserved our right to condemn at any time. This has been done and, after it has been checked out by our legal people, I propose to check it out with the Director's office and then ask PBS to go ahead. *H*

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5. [REDACTED] called to invite me to a cocktail party for members of the [REDACTED] on 22 April.

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6. [REDACTED] was in to make a strong plea for either [REDACTED] 25X1A9a
or [REDACTED] to replace [REDACTED] as Chief of Support in the SR Division. 25X1A9a
He did not feel that [REDACTED] would be ready to pursue these responsibilities
for some considerable time.

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